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[*on the report of the Fifth Committee (A/58/571)*]

58/276. Outsourcing practices

The General Assembly,

Recalling its resolutions 54/256 of 7 April 2000 and 55/232 of 23 December 2000,

Having considered the report of the Secretary-General on outsourcing practices[1] and the related report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions,[2]

1. *Takes note* of the report of the Secretary-General;[1]

2. *Endorses* the recommendations contained in paragraphs 10 and 11 of the report of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions;[2]

3. *Requests* the Secretary-General to report to the General Assembly at its fifty-ninth session on the implementation of the provisions of its resolution 55/232 and on activities outsourced during the years 2002 and 2003, including information on the location and type of outsourced activities and more detailed reasoning therefor.

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[1] A/57/185.

[2] *Official Records of the General Assembly, Fifty-seventh Session, Supplement No. 7* (A/57/7 and Add.1-27), document A/57/7/Add.1, paras. 10 and 11.